

DOUGHBOYS DRIVE INTO SIEGFRIED LINE

The War Today...

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AP War Analyst

CHINA'S eleventh hour effort to compose her grave internal differences and present a united front to Japan likely would have succeeded if it had been undertaken earlier—and it may still succeed—but the question certainly arises whether it's too late.

This column for nearly two years, ever since my visit to Chungking, has been emphasizing that China was all but impotent and in grave danger of being knocked out. Now she has been brought to the high-water mark of her peril by the Japanese conquests in the important south-central theatre, eliminating vital American air bases and giving the invaders invulnerable communications from Manchuria clear through to Canton on the south coast and over into Indo-China.

The difficulties through which China has arrived at this sorry pass are many, but chief among them is that the country has been divided against itself. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's one party (Kuomintang) government has ruled those parts of Central and southern China not overrun by the Japs. But in the north the Chinese Communists, with big armies, have been in control.

The Communists have insisted on participation in government, but Chiang thus far has declined to recognize them. It's an old and bloody feud. While the two sides have been working under a truce because of the Japanese invasion there have been frequent clashes at arms between them and they've been so distrustful that a large portion of their armies have been drawn up watching each other instead of fighting the common foe.

Each side has tied up something like half a million soldiers in this fruitless business.

This is the situation as Chiang acting on advice of the United States, not only has used a vigorous broom on his cabinet but has reopened peace negotiations with the Communists. One of the most promising developments appears to be his appointment of his brother-in-law, Dr. T. V. Soong, to the acting premiership, thereby enabling the generalissimo to get rid of some burdens and concentrate on the grave military crisis.

The Harvard educated and westernized Soong not only is one of China's outstanding statesmen, but is widely regarded as a liberal, and so the person most likely to achieve a settlement with the Communists.

Another hopeful sign is that Gen. Chow En-Lai, the famous Communist leader, is in Chungking and is said to be negotiating with the

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PVT. HIVELEY WINS AWARD FOR VALOR

Pvt. Robert A. Hiveley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hiveley, R. D. 1, Salem, has been awarded the Bronze Star medal for "heroic achievement" Aug. 21 in France in connection with military operations against the enemy," according to a War Department message sent the family yesterday.

Serving with the Second division of the First army, now in Germany, Pvt. Hiveley has been overseas for several months. A student at Mount Union college before entering service, the Salem soldier is now with a medical detachment.

His address is: Pvt. Robert A. Hiveley, 35918311, Med. Det., 67th Army Medical Reg., APO 252, care of postmaster, New York City.

TEMPERATURES

SALEM WEATHER REPORT	
Yesterday, noon	32
Yesterday, 6 p. m.	32
Midnight	22
Today, 6 a. m.	23
Today, noon	40
Maximum	43
Minimum	20
Year Ago Today	15
Maximum	15
Minimum	7

NATION-WIDE REPORT

(By Associated Press)	
	Max. Min.
	Yest. Night
Akron	41 28
Albany	46 31
Baltimore	36 30
Buffalo	36 31
Chicago	42 30
Cincinnati	46 31
Cleveland	42 31
Columbus	46 31
Dayton	42 31
Denver	38 22
Detroit	40 34
Duluth	33 30
Fort Worth	54 44
Huntington, W. Va.	47 29
Indianapolis	41 33
Kansas City	36 31
Los Angeles	46 31
Louisville	46 31
Miami	68 52
Minneapolis	35 23
New Orleans	39 29
New York	43 37
Oklahoma City	44 33
Pittsburgh	44 33
Portland	39 29
San Francisco	43 33
Seattle	44 33
Washington, D. C.	43 25

U. S. BOMBERS DELIVER NEW BERLIN BLOW

Drop 2,000 Tons of Explosives, Shoot Down 80 Nazi Planes

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 5.—American heavy bombers blasted Berlin with almost 2,000 tons of bombs today. Their fighter escort shot down 80 German planes over the Nazi capital.

It was the first daylight raid by heavy bombers on Berlin in two months.

The bulk of the fleet of more than 550 heavies and 800 fighters from bases in Britain smashed munitions and tank factories inside Berlin and in Tesel, a suburb. Others hit the rail center of Munster.

The Luftwaffe made one of its rare appearances in strength but the Nazi fighters apparently failed to reach the big bomber formations. The last American raid on the Nazi capital was Oct. 6. Today the fighters had the added advantage of friendly bases in Belgium and France close to the Reich frontier and they could fight with gasoline they once had to save for the 500 mile journey back to Britain.

There was some cloud over Berlin but the first big formation of bombers was able to bomb visually through gaping holes over the target area. The German fighters apparently gave up after the furious battle with the first planes to reach Berlin. Other formations reported they were not molested.

Six vital rail centers in Germany were bombed yesterday.

24 FROM DISTRICT LEAVE FOR SERVICE

Contingent Boards Train Today For Cleveland Induction Station

Twenty-four Salem selectees left by train for Cleveland at 8:59 a. m. today for induction and assignment into the armed forces.

The group, in charge of John K. Phillips, R. D. 4, Lisbon, is the only contingent scheduled to leave this month. No other induction or pre-induction physical examination groups are on call until after the holidays, board officials said.

The group today included: Joseph Birtalan, Jr., Kensington; Howard Eugene Coy, R. D. 1, Salem.

Lewis Del Favero, 471 Mill st., Robert Trimble Evans, Massillon; Dwight Ira Gobely, R. D. 3, Alliance.

Wayne Brennenman Griffith, Damascus; George Paul Holisky, Jr., 92 W. High st., Leetonia.

Thomas Phillip Dyer Hoops, Bensenville; Donald Eugene Hoperich, R. D. 1, Salem.

Adin Ray Kaufman, R. D. 1, Columbiana; Homer Earl Kridler, R. D. Leetonia.

Walter Tischler Loesch, 239 W. State st.; John Kennedy Phillips, R. D. 4, Lisbon.

William Howard Smith, Washingtonville; Earl Solomon, 480 Perry st.; John Sosenko, 121 Mill st., Leetonia.

Clifford Jean Taylor, 47 Ash st., Leetonia.

Robert Wesley Walker, R. D. 2, Minerva; Junior William Waugh, R. D. 1, Kensington.

Walter Whiteleather, Jr., of Moultrie; Charles Frederick Woolf, R. D. 2, Salem.

Wilbur Eugene Wood, R. D. 2, Kensington; Robert Norman Zimmerman, 153 Hawley ave.

John Donald McCoy, 1269 Maple st.

PLAN UNION VOTE AT 2 SALEM SHOPS

Elections to determine the representative union organization at two Salem factories will be conducted at the Deming Co., and the Electric Furnace Co. plants this week, according to an announcement today following union-management and National Labor Relations Board conferences here.

The Deming Co. election was authorized by the N. L. R. B. and is scheduled to be held at the shop scheduled to be held at the shop from 12:30 until 5 p. m. Thursday. Electric Furnace employees will vote from 12 to 6 p. m. Friday. The vote was agreed to by the management.

Frank Pagar represented the National Labor Relations board in the conferences.

SALEM CAB CO. MOVED TO NEW LOCATION AT REAR OF LAPE HOTEL 24 HOUR SERVICE, SAFE, COURTEOUS DRIVERS.

Leetonia Girl Awarded National Health Title

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Four teen-age boys and girls were named 4-H Health Champions today at the National 4-H congress.

They are Lyle M. Ramey, 15, Redwood Falls, Minn.; Bob Tolbert, 18, Pauls Valley, Okla.; Elizabeth Ann Laughner, 18, Leetonia, O.; and Lucille Latza, 16, Letcher, S. D.

STATE WATER JOBS OUTLINED

\$3,300,000 Appropriation Will Be Recommended To Postwar Group

(By Associated Press)
COLUMBUS, Dec. 5.—Lt. Gov. Paul M. Herbert, chairman of the Ohio Postwar Program commission, said today water development projects calling for immediate appropriation of \$3,300,000 would be presented to the commission tomorrow during its meeting here with Gov. John W. Bricker and Gov.-elect Frank J. Lausche.

Herbert said the appropriation would make possible water developments costing \$23,000,000, the rest of the money to be supplied by municipalities and the federal government.

He said the biggest appropriation advocated in the proposed program, prepared by Water Engineer C. C. Chambers, consultant to the commission, was \$1,500,000 to finance state cooperation with cities in meeting water needs of areas adjacent to municipalities when reservoirs are constructed.

Next in line, Herbert said, was a \$750,000 appropriation to construct a lake in the Hueston woods area in Preble county. Other recommendations included:

The state's share of federal flood control projects, \$600,000; funds to aid small communities and industries in water improvements, \$225,000; fund for purchase of land where immediate water shortage exists but where the need might arise suddenly or where the water opportunities might be exploited for less important purposes, \$200,000; and fund to plan extension of existing water mains to rural areas, \$25,000.

Herbert said reservoirs built under Chambers' proposal would be paid.

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PRECINCT CHANGES IN COUNTY STUDIED

Because election laws stipulate that any precinct with a vote of more than 450 persons must be rearranged or re-divided, the Columbiana county board of elections is initiating a survey of the county to consider 19 such divisions in which a vote of over 450 was recorded in the Nov. 7 election. Seven of the 19 under scrutiny are in Salem.

According to Frank R. O'Hanlon, clerk of the board of elections, "heavy" votes were posted in seven Salem precincts, five in East Liverpool, two in Wellsville, two in Columbiana and one in each of Knox, Liverpool and St. Clair township precincts.

According to the law, O'Hanlon says, the board of elections must survey these precincts and make arrangements to reallocate the vote. This may be done by shifting precinct divisions or by creating new precincts.

Sergt. Art Charlton Missing In Action

Staff Sergt. Arthur C. Charlton, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Charlton, 648 E. Seventh st., has been missing in action in France since Nov. 10, according to word received by the family from the War Department.

Sergt. Charlton, a veteran of overseas duty since June, was serving in the front lines in France when reported missing. He entered the service March 11, 1943, and trained at Fort Jackson, S. C., was later stationed at Camp Atterbury, Ind.

He went overseas in June following a short stay at Fort Meade, Md. He is a graduate of Salem High school.

Asks for 'Smoke' Shot

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—An unidentified man whipped out a gun on the lower Bowery today and fatally shot another man who had asked him for a cigarette, police reported.

Police Lieut. James Slocane said Michael Condon, 52, identified through a Social Security card, had berated the man who fled after firing three shots, one of which pierced Condon's heart.

BIZARRE AND PORK SUPPER AT GARFIELD GRANGE, WED. DEC. 6 FROM 5:30 TO 8:00 P. M.

Expected To Get New Posts In State Dept. Shift



Nelson Rockefeller Joseph C. Grew W. L. Clayton

CHANGES in the U. S. state department are reported in the making with these five men among those expected to get new posts. Undersecretaries Adolf Berle, Jr., and Breckinridge Long are resigning and will be given diplomatic posts. Joseph C. Grew, former ambassador to Japan, is believed to be the No. 1 choice for the undersecretary post held by Edward R. Stettinius before his elevation to secretary of state. Nelson Rockefeller, now co-ordinator of inter-American affairs, and W. L. Clayton, Surplus War Property head, are expected to be given posts as assistant secretaries of state. (International)

BOND DRIVE IN SALEM LAGGING

City Has Subscribed Only 30 Per Cent of Its Overall Quota

Although the Sixth War Loan drive is more than half over, Salem has only purchased 30 per cent of its over-all goal, Chairman Stephenson announced today.

The total sales so far are \$603,096.25 and equal about 30 per cent of the \$2,002,200 goal set for Salem. A total of 4072 sales has been posted.

E Bonds, sales though in smaller amounts are progressing well, the report today shows. E Bond purchasers have boosted the total \$166,381.25, a figure slightly less than 37 per cent of the \$451,500 goal. Officially the drive closes on Dec. 16, but sales in E, F and G series bonds are recorded until the close of the month. However, drive officials are impressing upon workers the urgent need for faster and larger sales, so that the Salem quota may be met by the Dec. 16 deadline.

Reclassification of Men 25-30 Looms

COLUMBUS, Dec. 5.—State Selective Service headquarters indicated today deferred men between 25 and 30 soon would be reclassified to fill draft quotas, especially in industrial areas where shortages are imminent.

Col. C. W. Goble, state draft director, summed up the situation in a formal announcement saying in part:

"An examination of recent reports indicate that, insofar as the industrial areas are concerned, the pool of physically-fit manpower, ages 18 through 25 years of age, has now been practically exhausted, except for young men registering each month upon reaching the age of 18 years.

"Since local boards are still required to furnish manpower for the armed forces, it must be expected that men, ages 26 through 29 years, will be reclassified from deferred classifications."

German Hospital Ship Is Accidentally Sunk

(By Associated Press)
ROME, Dec. 5.—Aircraft of the Mediterranean Allied coastal air force accidentally sank the unilluminated German hospital ship Tuebingen during a period of poor light on Nov. 18 while she was en route to Trieste. Allied headquarters announced today. Regrets were conveyed to German authorities.

The headquarters statement said, "a full inquiry into this unfortunate incident is proceeding." Headquarters said it understood casualties among the crew were very light. The ship was carrying no wounded at the time.

"In a broadcast dispatch on Nov. 18 the German news agency DNB said the Tuebingen was sunk by four British fighter-bombers in the Adriatic sea."

The official Allied report said nothing of the nationality of the attacking planes, but indicated they were British with the statement that the British government had conveyed its regrets to the enemy.

Tire Shortage Imperils Eisenhower's Troops

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Dec. 5.—American armaments fighting along the German border face a tire shortage so serious it threatens to tie up 10 per cent of all army vehicles by early February, Gen. Eisenhower declared today.

"I am not exaggerating when I say that the war will be needlessly extended unless we can extract every possible mile from our tires and use them only as we find it necessary to do so," Eisenhower advised his officers and men in a letter.

Win Art Show Awards

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 5.—The public checks in the Carnegie institute's famed art show is a farm scene, "Grey and Gold" by John Rogers Cox, a former Terre Haute, Ind., art gallery director, now in the army. The price was \$200.

Second popular award was "Good Crop" by Clarence H. Carter of Hollings, Pa., former Carnegie Tech instructor, and third "Fertile Valley" by Raphael Gleitman of Akron, O., now overseas with the army.

LOST: NURSES PIN WITH INSCRIPTION ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL OF NURSING READING ON FRONT, INITIALS E. M. D. 1944 ON THE BACK, PLEASE PH. 6833 OR RETURN TO CENTRAL CLINIC HOSP. REWARD.

Patton's Men Push Beyond Saarlautern

PARIS, Dec. 5.—The 95th infantry division of the U. S. Third army has driven clear through Saarlautern and is fighting well into the Siegfried defenses beyond the fortress city, it was announced today at Supreme headquarters.

The satellite towns of Roden and Fraulautern, each a mile and a half beyond the captured Saar river bridge, were passed by the Americans advancing through shellfire from German artillery emplacements.

Other troops of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's Third army threatened Saarbrücken, capital of the arsenal region of steel and coal, and bombarded its blackened buildings with eight-inch artillery. The nearby French rail town of Forbach and the French border town of Saargemündes also were being shelled from positions two and four and a half miles away.

Some fighting still was going on in the east bank section of Saarlautern where the Americans were meeting the Volkssturm, recently mustered civilians wearing arm bands.

Five divisions of Patton's army to the southeast were beating forward either inside the Saar or through the last bit of Lorraine.

POTTERY STRIKE ENTERS 5TH DAY

400 Workers Are Still Idle After Duffy Upholds Pay Protest

BULLETIN
N. B. O. P. and U. S. P. A. officials this afternoon called a special meeting tonight of members of the Salem local No. 42 toward settlement of the five-day old pottery strike. The meeting, scheduled at the Memorial building at 7 p. m., is expected to result in an announcement of a date for payment of the vacation checks in question. If approval is met tonight, the potters may return to their jobs tomorrow, it is indicated.

Workers at the Salem China Co. plant remained on strike today—the fifth day of idleness—with little outlook for a return to work following a meeting with James M. Duffy of East Liverpool, National Brotherhood of Operative Potters president, in the Memorial building yesterday.

Duffy, meeting with the protesting workers for the first time since the strike began last Friday morning, termed the walkout here "not illegal," and said he thought the potters were "perfectly within their rights." Four hundred are idle.

Although expectations were that Duffy would advise a return to work at the session yesterday, he evidently made no such move but gave what company officials termed a "left-handed approval to the walkout."

The dispute over the payment of the 1943-44 vacation checks is alleged, by Duffy and workers here, to have sprung from a commitment made by Floyd McKee, company president, in the plant's weekly magazine, "China Chatter."

Workers claim that McKee stated in an article in the publication that he intended to pay the vacation money as soon as a WLB ruling was made on the period in question. The ruling came Nov. 10 with a deadline set for Dec. 31.

The controversy arose from McKee's refusal to pay the checks after he had conferred with officials of the United States Potters association and learned that they desired withholding until all potteries could issue checks at the same time.

Consequently, the Salem plant has held up payment in order to conform with the wishes and policy of the national organization.

McKee said today that further negotiations had moved to East Liverpool where the dispute is expected to be thrashed out between management, workers and the two national organizations.

With McKee at the session was Wilbur Betz, secretary of the USPA. The union was represented by Duffy, George Turner of East Liverpool and Charles Jordan of Sebring, sixth and seventh vice presidents in the NBO.

Reported Missing, Pfc. McLaughlin Hurt

Listed on War department casualty lists a few days ago as missing in action, Pfc. Ronald W. McLaughlin, 24, serving with the Marines in the South Pacific, is now reported as wounded. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McLaughlin of Belmont, have been informed that their son, suffered injuries in action on Peleliu Oct. 6.

The former Babcock & Wilcox Co. employee, received a flesh wound in the thigh and his left leg was broken below the knee. A graduate of Belmont High school, Pfc. McLaughlin trained at Parris Island, S. C., and at a west coast base before going overseas more than a year ago. He was with the First amphibian tank division.

His address is: Pfc. Ronald W. McLaughlin, U. S. M. C., Surgical, Ward B, U. S. N. H-6, Base 140, care of fleet postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.

Lipscher Is Named As Senate Minority Chief

COLUMBUS, Dec. 5.—Minority leader of the Ohio senate during the 96th general assembly will be Sen. Maurice W. Lipscher of Youngstown. He was elected yesterday at a caucus of the 13 Democratic senators. Lipscher, an attorney, will be serving his sixth consecutive term.

A complete variety of entertainment was offered in the 14-act vaudeville which featured the singing of Caryl Gould, former Rudy Vallee show star, and Peter Higgins, noted Irish tenor.

3,000 From Mullins Enjoy Holiday Show

Approximately 3,000 persons, employees and their families, attended the Mullins Mfg. Corp. employees Christmas show yesterday in the High school auditorium.

The production, featuring an all-star stage and screen cast headed by Andy Rice, Jr., was given as a part of the annual Christmas personnel program for Mullins workers.

Three performances, one at 11:30 a. m., another at 4 p. m. and the final at 8 p. m. yesterday gave all employees an opportunity to enjoy the production.

SCHOOL BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS AT M'KINLEY URGED

McKinley school's Parent-Teacher association last night presented a four-point proposal for improvements to their building for consideration of the board of education.

The requests, presented to the board by President Joel Sharp and Project Chairman George Frank, included two room additions within the building, a supply of folding chairs and suggested the purchase of a sound projector for the school.

The P. T. A. proposed remodeling of the basement into a craft room for grade school students and the construction, by partitioning and rebuilding, of an auditorium on the first floor of the school building.

The auditorium would be used for assemblies of the entire student body and for additional group programs by and for the students. The student body now has no assembly place.

The proposals were referred to A. E. Beardmore, who heads the board's McKinley school committee.

Supt. E. S. Kerr was authorized to attend a special session of school executives in Columbus Dec. 15 for further investigation and study of the part Ohio schools are expected to play in the rehabilitation and education of returning war veterans, now stipulated under the "G. I. Bill of Rights."

Kerr was also given permission to attend a convention of the Ohio Association of Educators in Columbus Dec. 28 and 29.

The superintendent's recommendation that the board approve the retirement of Thelma Arter, teacher at McKinley school, was accepted. The action will be referred to the state teacher's retirement board in Columbus.

The board held its annual Christmas dinner at the Lape hotel prior to the session and arranged to meet in January on the second Monday of the month instead of the first. New Year's day fall on the regular meeting night.

HIT THE RIVET, SISTER

By Ann Pendleton

The real-life adventures of a so-dirty girl who goes to work in a war plant.

NO EDGE-DISTANCE

VIII

RENZIE is our Lead-man. He's small and quick and a damned good mechanic and he spends the whole day racing up and down the line, helping someone here, settling a problem there, getting someone the tools he needs, filling in for someone who's absent. "Hi, Annie, how's things comin'?" "Yo, feller, watch it!" His voice is as bright and lively as he is, and as busy. Not all Lead-men are like Renzie; I am always congratulating myself on having landed, when I came on the lines, just where I did. Not only because I like Renzie, but because he is one of the few Lead-men who lets his workers change from job to job.

When I was first on the line I worked near its beginning, setting the rivets in place and riveting them up. Since then I've filled in at almost every station, and am working now at the sixth, where we rivet up the sheet of metal that covers one side of the stabilizer—the "skin," as mechanics call it. My partner, Andy, is a solemn lad of about 21. He was pretty much disgusted when he learned he was to have "one of them there girls" to work with, but he has become resigned now. I think, in fact, I'm sure he finds me and my passion for drilling quite a convenience. We talk a great deal (being, usually, rather noisily occupied) but our relationship, if not enthusiastic, is perfectly friendly.

Not so my relationship with Joe, at the third station, who, when I was new on the line and working near its beginning, discovered that I could be teased long before I discovered the answers, or even found ways enough to recognize the teasing as such. "Jeeze, Annie, come here," Joe would call. "Say, lookit them holes you drilled. How come they don't line up, huh?"

I would look at them, dismayed.

"Why, I didn't know it mattered. Are they supposed to line? I don't see why."

No lamb led to the slaughter was easier meat than conscientious Annie. All up and down the line they would call me. "Yo, Annie, c'mere a minute." Say, Annie, why'n't ya file this here?" I took every criticism humbly, worrying myself to death in an effort to line up, within a sixty-fourth of an inch, holes that didn't need to line at all. Innocently I did half the filing that belonged to later stations. When, gradually, common sense began to triumph and I realized that half my meticulous work had been perfectly unnecessary, it was my partner who came to my help. "When these here boozes tell you something's wrong," he said, "don't take no notice on 'em. Just tell 'em to go to hell. Joe don't like the way you line 'em up, maybe. So what?"

I had a good deal of trouble with the language when I first went on the line—there were frequent misunderstandings on both sides. Not only accent led us astray, but I had still a great deal to learn about the use of words. What I said had to be interpreted, almost translated. "I haven't anything to do," I'd tell Andy—"Yo, Renzie." Andy would call, "Annie here says she ain't got nothin' to do!" "How's that? No nothin' for you to do?" And Renzie would come running.

One day Andy gave me a message for Renzie. "If that son of a gun comes by while I ain't here," Andy said, "tell him this here rivet ain't got no edge-distance, will ya?" What to do when a rivet has no edge-distance, that is, when it is set in a hole drilled too close to the edge of the material, is a problem easily solved, but only a Lead-man or an Inspector may "authorize" the remedy. Accordingly, I kept an eye out for Renzie. "Say, Renzie, what'll we do about this?" I asked, when he came along.

Renzie's mind was on something else in his little notebook—he glanced where I pointed and did not immediately see the difficulty. "What's the trouble?"

I pointed again. "This rivet. It has too little edge-distance."

"How's that? I don't get you, Annie." He looked up, puzzled.

I tried again. "The drilling is out of line," I said. "See that hole? It doesn't leave enough material."

I had never seen Renzie look so completely bewildered. He had been holding the pose of one momentarily detained; now he settled back, put his notebook into his pocket. This was no simple problem, as most of mine were. This was something new to which he must give his whole attention. "What did ya say, Annie?" he asked, his expression one of puzzled concern. "Say that again, I didn't get it."

"This rivet," I began, and suddenly remembered the formula.

"Renzie, this here rivet ain't got no edge-distance," I told him.

Relief washed into his face. "Aw, that all? Jeeze, why didn't ya say so, Annie? Jeeze, ya had me worried!"

(To be continued)

Give A Fighting Yank A Pint of Blood

Red Cross blood donors, one of the best Christmas gifts you can give a serviceman overseas is a pint of blood for plasma that might some day save his life.

Donations: Mon. Dec. 18
Tues. Dec. 19
Hours: 2 to 6 p. m., Dec. 18
10 a. m. to 2 p. m., Dec. 19
Register: (Workers) Local
Plants
(Public) 4949
(General) 4500
after Dec. 12

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople

EGAD, SNUFFY! MEET MR. PIKE, THE RADIO WAG—HE'S A TEMPORARY GUEST AT HOOPLE MANOR, AND MAY JOIN THE OWLS CLUB!

GLAD TO MEET YOU! I GUESS A NEW MEMBER HAS TO RIDE THE GOAT—BUT I CAN'T MAKE OUT WHICH OF YOU IS THE GOAT—KYUK-KYUK!

THE GUY'S GOT A WONDERFUL SETUP IN HIS KISSER FOR A PIANNA SOLO!

I'VE HEARD YOUR PROGRAM—WHAT KIND OF NERVE TONIC DO YOU USE?

THE OWLS AREN'T EASILY IMPRESSED—

U. S. Army Leader

HORIZONTAL

1.5 Pictured battle in Italy

48 Footlike part of U. S. Army

88th Infantry Division, Maj. Gen.

54 Essence

56 Portals

57 Insect

13 Dance step

14 Rounded

16 Noah's boat

18 Agent (ab.)

19 Cupola

20 Fish eggs

21 Pauses

24 Canadian peninsula

26 Transpose (ab.)

27 Rhode Island (ab.)

28 Railroad (ab.)

29 Spain (ab.)

30 Within

31 Whirlwind

32 Therefore

34 Exempli gratia (ab.)

35 Near

36 Symbol for europium

38 Ringlet

40 Birds' homes

42 Harlem room

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3 Strike

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7 Native metal

8 Area measure

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13 Portion

15 Universal language

17 Retain

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36 Anesthetic

37 Employs

39 Facilitated

41 Belt

43 Animal (pl.)

44 Male sheep

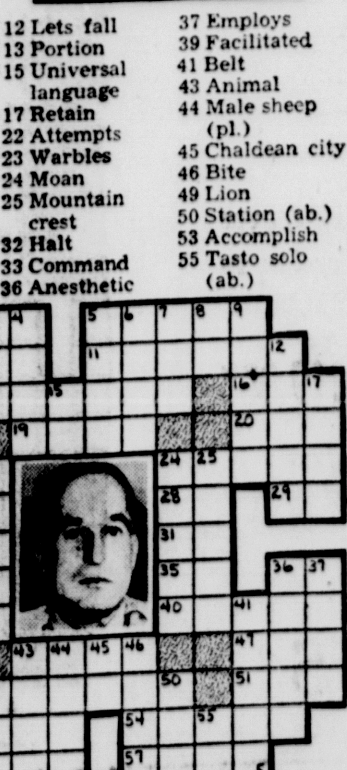
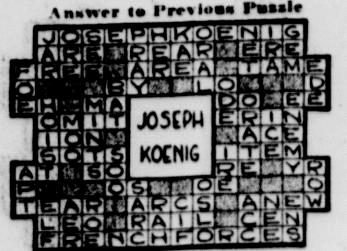
45 Chaldean city

46 Bite

50 Station (ab.)

53 Accomplish

55 Tasto solo (ab.)



AS TANKS TURN MASSED FIRE ON THE GERMAN ARMY



IN THE FOREGROUND an officer stands atop a tank and directs by telephone the massed fire of two companies of General Sherman at enemy positions on the First Army front. (International)

WINONA

Rev. and Mrs. Seth Jackson were hosts recently at a meeting of the Ministerial association of the Friends church. Members were present from Alliance, Deerfield, Damascus, Beloit, East Goshen and Salem.

Mrs. Matt Ramsey is a patient at Salem clinic where she underwent an operation. Sunday dinner guests in the E. C. Holloway home were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holloway and daughter of Hubbard. Beulah Edgerton, who has been ill, is somewhat improved. Sunday guests of Mrs. Adeline Brandt and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brandt were Mr. and Mrs. Robert and Mrs. Floyd Sidwell, near Columbiana.

Miss Sara Holloway of Alliance and Mabel Holloway of Lisbon were Saturday visitors in the Roscoe Stanley home. Mrs. Matt Ramsey is a patient at Salem clinic where she underwent an operation. Sunday dinner guests in the E. C. Holloway home were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holloway and daughter of Hubbard. Beulah Edgerton, who has been ill, is somewhat improved. Sunday guests of Mrs. Adeline Brandt and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brandt were Mr. and Mrs. Robert and Mrs. Floyd Sidwell, near Columbiana.

Condition Unchanged

Mrs. E. Y. Bailey, who has been a patient in the Cleveland clinic for the last few weeks, returned home here in an ambulance Friday. Her condition remains unimproved.

Mrs. Olive Hall was Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Frances Moore in Damascus.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Sidwell and children, were Sunday guests of Mr.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A

COLD

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Mrs. Esther Koontz has returned from several weeks visit with her husband, Pvt. Jack Koontz, U.S.M.C., Oceanside, Calif.

Corp. Donald W. Patterson, son of Roy Patterson, R. D. 1, recently completed an orientation course designed to bridge the gap between training in the states and combat soldiering against the enemy in Germany. Before entering the Army Air Forces, he was employed by H. D. Holloway and Sons.

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A Salem Man Felt Like Swollen Balloon: Full of Stomach Gas

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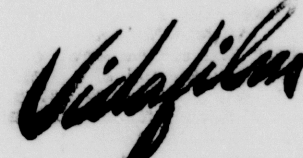
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Kish-Gabor, Lydick-Greenway Marriages Are Solemnized

The marriage of Miss Julia Kish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kish of S. Broadway to Ensign John Gabor, son of Mrs. Eugene Gabor of Alliance, was solemnized at 3 p. m. Sunday in St. Theodore's Catholic church in Alliance by Rev. Fr. Ciriachman.

Open church was observed at the ceremony at which Capt. and Mrs. Emil Burson of Seymour, Ind., Miss Eleanor Kish of Salem, sister of the bride, and Miss Virginia Gabor, sister of the groom of Alliance, were attendants.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an eggshell slipper satin gown trimmed with rose pombe lace. Her fingertip veil of imported illusion was arranged in a band held by clusters of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and orchids.

Mrs. Burson as matron of honor wore a poudre blue silk jersey dress and carried red roses. Miss Kish, in aqua taffeta and Miss Gabor, wearing pink, carried bouquets of yellow roses.

Mrs. John Kish, mother of the bride, was in navy blue and Mrs. Gabor in soldier blue, had corsages of yellow roses.

A reception was given for 65 guests at the Lape hotel following the ceremony. The bride's table was decorated attractively with a three-tier wedding cake.

Following their wedding trip to Chicago, the couple will make their home at Ottumwa, Ia., where Ensign Gabor is stationed.

Mrs. Gabor attended Salem High school and has been employed at the Spanish Tavern.

Ensign Gabor, a graduate of Alliance High school and Mount Union college, was formerly employed as salesmanager for the Taylorcraft plant in Alliance.

Guests at the wedding were from Detroit, Cleveland, Akron, Canton and Niles.

Eastern Star Matrons Group Has Party Here

Associations of Eastern Star past matrons and associate matrons of District 13 held a Christmas party Saturday afternoon at the Masonic temple here, given by Burdella Carlee group of 1944 for District 13.

All past matrons and present matrons and line officers attended the affair at which Mrs. Clara Hauger of Brewster, a member of the Massillon chapter and new deputy grand matron, was a guest.

Following a dinner at noon and a gift exchange, the various groups held business meetings. The Clara Hauger group of 1945 elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Doris Owens of Alliance; vice president, Mrs. M. A. Kelley of Salem; and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Flora Kniveton of Alliance.

Mrs. Margaret Cole of Louisville presided as chairman for the luncheon.

Tables were attractively decorated with evergreens and potted plants and the speakers table was decorated with a miniature sleigh filled with flowers. A large Christmas tree was a feature.

Members attending were from chapters in Alliance, Massillon, Canton, Louisville, Minerva, Leesville, Canal Fulton, Leetonia, East Palestine, Columbiana, Wellsville, Lisbon and Salem.

Installation of new officers of Salem chapter will be held at 8 p. m. Dec. 15 at the temple. Eastern Star members, Masons and their families will attend the ceremonies.

Boyle-DuBois Marriage Takes Place Saturday

Wedding rites uniting in marriage Mrs. Bessie Boyle of North Georgetown and Jesse DuBois of Westville lake were solemnized at 8 p. m. Saturday in the home of the bride's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Morley of North Georgetown.

Rev. Robert E. Mosher, pastor of the Salem Friends church, officiated in the presence of the immediate families and a few close friends.

The bridegroom's daughter, Pte. Helen DuBois of the Marine Corps Woman's Reserve, stationed at Arlington, Va., was home for the occasion but another daughter, Dorothy DuBois, who is with the Red Cross as recreational director and supervisor, now stationed in New Guinea, was unable to be here.

For her wedding the bride chose a gown of green and silver with which she wore a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Morley served the wedding supper that followed and a large wedding cake centered the table.

Mr. and Mrs. DuBois are at home at the bridegroom's home at Westville lake. He is a retired salesman for Block Brothers Tobacco Co.

Adelphi Club Members Are Entertained

Adelphi club members, entertained recently at the home of Gertrude Wilms on S. Union ave., completed plans for a Christmas party Dec. 13 at the home of Peggy Redinger, W. Seventh st.

Joann Juergens, Sara Serbanta and Jacqueline Troll were welcomed as new members.

Couple Are Married In Baltimore Nov. 21

Word has been received here of the marriage of Mrs. Nora Courtney of Philadelphia and Arthur King of 910 E. Third st. on Nov. 21 at Baltimore, Md. The couple will be at home to friends after Dec. 9 at 747 Franklin st.

Mr. King is employed by the Salem China Co.

Helping Hand Class Plans Meeting

Helping Hand class members of the Methodist church will meet at the home of the teacher, Mrs. E. F. Naragon, Woodland ave. A business meeting will feature election of officers. Members will have a Christmas gift exchange during the afternoon.

Honeymooners



(NEA Telephoto)

Col. Elliott Roosevelt, son of President, and his bride, actress Faye Emerson, obviously are elated over their wedding as they smile happily while honeymooning at Grand Canyon, Ariz.

Properly Addressed Mail Never Lands In Dead Letter Office

If some of your friends complained they didn't receive any Christmas cards from you last year, or if you Marnie never got that hand-painted kerchief—don't blame the postoffice.

They do everything in their power to straighten out faulty addresses, and get the mail delivered, but every year many thousands of pieces of mail ultimately wind up in the dead letter office because of incorrect addressing. Postmaster A. E. Beadmore explains.

This year, with the greatest Christmas mailing in history, this total of dead-letter mail will increase by thousands unless we take especially good care to see that our Christmas cards and packages are not only correctly addressed (with the return address included), but also securely wrapped with strong paper and string.

With so many packages being handled, these days it's also a good idea to repeat the address inside the outer wrapping. Do everything you can to help the postoffice deliver your precious gift packages and Christmas cards, the postmaster urges.

WASHINGTONVILLE ELECTION IS HELD

WASHINGTONVILLE, Dec. 5.—Officers for the year were elected at Trinity Lutheran Sunday school on Sunday.

Superintendent, Myron DeJanc; assistant, L. J. Davis; secretary, Leila Herman; assistant, Ruth Bell; assistant secretary, Ethel Stouffer; second assistant, Donald DeJanc; treasurer, Clara Weikart; pianist, Ruth West; assistant pianist, Audrey Herman; choirster, Mrs. Homer Heintzelman; librarian, Wanda

With District Men In The Service

Mrs. Anna Barnard of R. D. 3, Salem, has been notified that her husband, Pvt. Carl N. Barnard, has been transferred from Holland to Germany. His new address: Pvt. Carl N. Barnard, 35832256, Co. D, 119th Inf., APO 30, care of postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Raymond B. Hack, carpenter's mate third class, who has concluded 30 days' furlough following 14 months overseas service during which he participated in the invasion of France, and has returned to Davisville, R. I. He has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hack, S. Lincoln ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Regis C. Stiffler of R. D. 3, Salem, received a new address for their son, A. C. Regis M. Stiffler, formerly stationed at San Antonio, Tex., now at Garner field, Uvalde, Tex. His address: A. C. Regis M. Stiffler, 35923223, Class 45-D, 2566th AAF Base Unit (CPSP), Garner field, Uvalde, Tex.

War department confirmation was issued today on the wounding in action of Sgt. Anthony G. Rubino of Lisbon.

Sgt. Rubino, son of Vincenzo Rubino, was wounded while fighting in the European area.

Mrs. Grace Litty of Vine ave., has been informed of the transfer of her son, Staff Sgt. William C. Litty, from Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., to the following overseas address: S. Sgt. William C. Litty, 35913163, Co. H, 276th Inf., APO 17816, care of postmaster, New York, N. Y. His wife, Louise, makes her home in Cleveland.

15,000 British Wives of U. S. Soldiers Seek Visas

LONDON, Dec. 5.—The American embassy reported today that between 12,000 and 15,000 British wives of U. S. servicemen have applied for visas to enter the United States. Attaches said another thousand already have been granted visas.

Book Club Will Join In Memorial Program

Book club members will participate with other federated women's clubs of Ohio in the establishment of a Federation Memorial forest in the Mohican valley in Ohio, planned as a living memorial to all Ohioans killed in this war.

Plans for the project were discussed at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the group at the library room.

Members will bring gifts of socks and stockings for children at the Fairmount home to the next meeting, Dec. 18.

Mrs. Harry Snyder was welcomed as a new member of the group. The program, featuring a review of Tolstoy's "War and Peace" by Mrs. Guy E. Byers, included piano solos, "Loved and Adored" (Engleman) and "Angel Serenade" (Smith).

Mrs. Harold Babb.

A Christmas party is planned for the Dec. 18 meeting with a program to include a play by the Salem High school Thespians club.

Junior Music Study Club Is Entertained

Junior Music Study club members were entertained last night at the home of Mary Lou Vincent on E. Third st., where members completed plans for a Christmas party Dec. 12 at the home of Jay Hanna, E. Third st.

The group also made plans to sing Christmas carols Dec. 18.

The program included: Trumpet duet, "Cantique de Noel" (Adams); Ruth Swaney and Lela Abbott, accompanied by Grace Pales; report on Felix Mendelssohn, Jeanne Moore; report on the bell lyre and solos, "The First Noel" and "Silent Night," Jeanne Walsh.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. E. S. Vincent.

W. S. C. S. Will Install Officers On Wednesday

Dr. James A. Scott will officiate at the installation of new officers for the Women's Society of Christian Service at the Methodist church Wednesday.

The ceremonies, at which Mrs. Charles Cornwall, re-elected president, and other officers will be inducted, will follow a coverdish dinner at 6:30 p. m.

The annual Christmas offering will be taken and a Yuletide program will be presented.

Methodist Group 2 Will Meet Dec. 13

Group 2 of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at 2:30 p. m. Dec. 13 at the home of Mrs. Carl Willman, E. Ninth st.

C. D. of A. Will Sew On Wednesday

Catholic Daughters of America will sew Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edwin Deagan, E. Third st.

Elks' Auxiliary

The Elks auxiliary will meet at 8 tonight in the lodge home.

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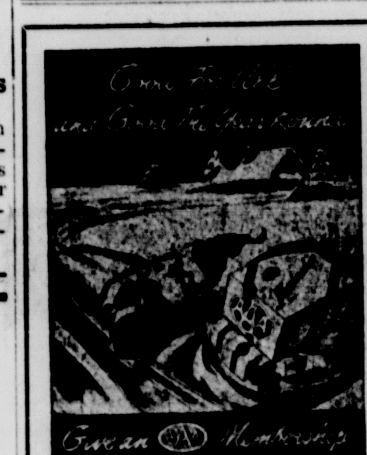
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APPROVE BENEFITS FOR WAR WIDOWS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Widows and orphans of World War I veterans virtually were assured today that they'll soon become eligible for government pensions.

The senate late yesterday passed without debate an administration bill setting up benefits as high as \$74 monthly for families of deceased veterans of the last war. The house passed a similar bill last May, but still must act on senate amendments liberalizing the scale of benefits.

Four times previously the house had voted to pension World War I widows. But the present bill was the first that ever came to a senate vote.

It would provide \$35 monthly for childless widows, \$45 monthly for widows with one child, and \$5 for each additional child. The house figures were \$30, \$38 and \$40. Widows without children having an annual income of \$1,000 would be ineligible, as would widows with children whose income was \$2,500 or more.

Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the senate finance committee, estimated the cost to the government at \$37,600,000 the first year, as against the \$32,000,000 estimated cost of the house bill.

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Crash Kills Soldiers

DAYTON, Dec. 5.—Two Patterson field soldiers were killed last night when a car in which they had hitch-hiked rides, overturned on Route 4 a few miles from the field.

The field public relations office identified the dead as Sgt. Ernest E. Banks, 23, of Newport, Ky., and Pvt. Charles Lowery, 22, of Andalusia, Ala.

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Schwartz's

Columbiana High Squad Is Feted In Annual Grid Banquet

Stewart, Coach At Sharon, Addresses Group As Cabas Praises Work Of Clippers

Columbiana's Clipper football squad, holder of the county's second best 1944 record and runner-up in the Tri-County league race, was feted last night by the Kiwanis and Rotary clubs at an annual football banquet in the Grace Evangelical and Reformed church in Columbiana.

Approximately 100 persons, including the 34-man grid team, heard David B. Stewart, jovial coach of the Sharon, Pa. Tigers, tell of his experiences in 25 years of coaching high school football.

Head coach at Sharon High for the last 17 years, Stewart was formerly coach at Lockhaven, Massillon and Kiski High schools for one, five and two years, respectively. He tutored such famed grid figures as Paul Brown and Harry Stuhldreher while they were in high school in Massillon and produced several All-American college stars from his post at Sharon.

Stewart pointed out the worries of a football mentor and upheld the right of every admission purchaser to the claim of "coach" as well as spectator.

Cabas Praises Line
Coach John Cabas, former New Castle, Pa., and Mount Union college grid, track and basketball star, now in his first year as Clipper mentor, reviewed the performances of his squad this season and introduced his players.

Cabas lauded the play of the Clipper line, which opened the way for seven victories in a tough nine-game schedule and praised the outstanding spirit of his charges.

Earl H. Newell, member of the board of education and father of Bill Newell, star Clipper halfback, presented the "Highlights of the 1944 Clipper Season." He reviewed the season step by step and emphasized the all-important part played by what he called "that staunch Clipper forward wall."

Presiding over the affair was Rev. Waldo Bartels, who introduced the toastmaster of the evening, Dr. C. W. Dewalt. Group singing was



David B. Stewart

led by Ray Miller with Leo Holloway at the piano.

Spectat Quartet
A specialty number by Bill Newell, Frank Grimes, Don Evans and Bob Hum—a quartet of grid stars who did their rehearsing in the showers all season—added to the hilarity of the occasion.

A sextet of high school girls sang "White Christmas," "Always" and the Columbiana Alma Mater.

A pictorial review of the season was shown by Everett Warrick, an ardent Clipper booster who filmed and arranged the 20 minute screen highlights of the Columbiana season.

Guests included Mayor Kenneth Gormley, Rev. Walter G. Eyster of the Methodist church, Supt. of Schools C. B. Riggle and Dr. P. W. Trader, Carl Calvin, John Robinson and Paul Reeves, all of the board of education.

The dinner was served by the women of the church.

WRIGHT-PEP BOTH ANXIOUS TO TAKE CLEVELAND BOUT

Pep Has Upper Hand In the Fights Between Two, Is After Another

(By Associated Press)
CLEVELAND, Dec. 5.—Chaiky Wright and Willie Pep are seeing a lot of each other lately—but it's hardly a Damon and Pythias act. "It's no act as far as I'm concerned," says Chaiky, who lost his featherweight title (New York version) to Pep in 1942 and was unable to regain it in a re-match last September. They meet again tonight in a non-title 10-rounder which features the Cleveland News' 19th annual Christmas fund show at the Arena.

"I've been trying to catch up with that guy for 30 rounds now and one of these days I'm going to get him," the veteran Negro leather pusher contends. "He's really a great boxer, not much of a hitter, but he's fast as lightning. In our two fights I think I just had two good licks at him. This time we're not fighting for the title so it'll be just my luck to win."

Pep Says Wright Tough
Pep, who is 10 years Wright's junior, testifies to Chaiky's punching power.

"When you're in with Wright you have to fight. He doesn't worry about being jabbed. Most of the time he doesn't even bother to slip or duck. He's willing to take a few punches to land one. And he can hit."

Willie himself won 62 in a row before he dropped a decision to Sammy Angott, former NBA lightweight titlist, who had a 12-pound advantage in the weights. That's his only loss in 91 starts.

Another 10-rounder pairs slugger Ike Williams, rated by the NBA as a logical contender for Juan Zurita's lightweight crown, against Lulu Costantino, the flashy youngsters from New York's east side.

Staff Sgt. Joe Louis, World's heavyweight champion, will referee one of the bouts on the program.

BLOOMBERGS				
Hawkins	121	136	147	404
Prethy	108	113	130	351
Kline	169	151	175	495
Sobotka	167	156	141	464
Blind	127	95		222
Rich			125	125
Total	692	651	718	2061

LAPE				
F. Brian	127		133	260
Barrett	133	132	94	359
Peattie	152	151	108	411
A. Brian	163	156	144	463
Ward	163	135	169	467
Munsell		95		95
Handicap	8	4	2	14
Total	746	673	650	2069

JIMS				
Owens	180	160	147	487
Keppeler	122	142	264	528
Jackson	144	159	142	445
Leiper	129	147	94	370
Adrian	188	137	325	650
Johnston		157	120	277
Total	763	760	645	2168

GLAYS				
Fettus	139	98	139	376
Hanna	118	102	145	365
C. McMillan	102	115	136	353
Gray, Jr.	114	121	96	331
Handicap	81	80	64	224
Total	694	648	693	2035

BOWLING CENTER				
Udece	188	149	157	494
Hahn	145	168	145	458
Shaffer	118	111	123	352
Pager	122	167	130	419
Kozar	128	146	159	433
Handicap	44	44	44	132
Total	745	785	758	2288

SALEM LABEL				
Knox	148	163	122	433
Guear	146	171	164	481
Zimmerman	147	132	168	447
B. Rich	179	176	143	498
Blind	118	111	123	352
Total	738	753	719	2200

FITZPATRICK				
Pinkerton	123	127	155	405
Pierce	126	154	121	401
Jones	136	156	155	447
Gow	141	161	169	471
Zimmerman	130	134	138	402
Handicap	36	36	36	108
Total	692	768	774	2234

ROBERTS				
Wilson	117	118	153	388
Ingledeu	128	139	141	408
Schafer	157	143	143	443
Lepping	167	144	148	459
Daugherty	117	164	127	408
Total	686	708	712	2106

AMATEUR PROS				
Carnahan	180	167	168	515
Hammell	142	148	155	445
Shoop	98	121		219
Sandrock	151	148	149	448
Blind		122		122
Reese		159	131	290
Vance			117	117
Handicap	22	19	6	47
Total	715	762	726	2203

CITIZENS ICE				
Girard	122	168	122	407
Bell	136	156	142	434
Lottman	146	140	116	402
Maxwell	139	145	156	440
Adrian	178	136	209	523
Total	721	740	745	2206

FAMOUS				
Bowls	118	139	257	
R. Heman	162	132	294	
Lodge	98	175	273	
Pochbaugh	193	173	366	
Gefeller	154	134	288	
Handicap	53	53	108	
Total	758	764	792	2314

ALTHOUSE				
Armstrong	159	133	202	494
Althouse	136	138	149	423
Harroff	144	166	124	434
Willis	163	179	176	518
Grate	173	149	168	490
Total	775	765	819	2359

GOLD BAR				
Ellis	159	171	154	484
Yount	137	165	180	477
Daugherty	182	149	130	452
Tressler	139	142	172	444
Reese	153	146	156	455
Total	751	739	712	2202

MEISSNERS				
Sidinger	131	158	129	418
Wright	180	125	167	472
B. Hobart	178	137	151	466
P. Hobart	149	169	183	471
Meissner	141	196	182	519
Total	779	785	782	2346

24 Kills!

Ohio Deer Season Opened With Lots of Luck; To Ouldo Last Year

(By Associated Press)
PORTSMOUTH, Dec. 5.—Hunters armed with shotguns bagged 24 bucks on the opening day of Ohio's second deer season in half a century, seven more "kills" than reported on opening day last year. James W. Stuber of the State Division of Conservation and Natural Resources reported today.

Successful sportsmen yesterday included Jasper Rogers of Dayton, 1943 Grand American trapshooting handicap winner. He was one of the quota of 1,000 allowed in the hunting area day.

Others who bagged bucks included: John Engleman of Tiffin, R. H. Hopper of Chillicothe, Robert Cooley of Bryan, C. A. Parker of Athens, H. A. Watson, N. L. Mahaffey and Harold Hamilton, all of Portsmouth, Don Snyder of Portsmouth, Earl Wamsley of nearby Otway, and Carl Martin of Milanburg.

Martin shot the first deer of the season within an hour after he entered the woods.

The season will continue through Saturday, with hunting hours from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily. Hunting is restricted to the Roosevelt game preserve and Shawnee State forest and the limit is one buck taken with shotgun loaded with No. 4 or larger buckshot, or bow and barbed arrow.

BOWLING STANDINGS

QUAKER CITY LEAGUE

Bowling Center	28	11
Sponsellers	26	10
Althouse	24	15
Albrights	23	16
Gold Bar	22	17
Howdys	22	17
Silver Bar	20	16
Lape	19	20
Schafers	18	21
Wards	16	23
Coy	13	26
Bloomberg	12	27
Ohio Bell	12	27
Famous	11	28

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Salem Label	32	8
Roberts	27	13
Fitzpatrick	25	15
Bowling Center	24	16
Citizens	22	18
Supreme	19	21
Salem Engineering	19	21
Scotts	17	23
United Tool	14	22
Amateur Pros.	11	25
Jims	9	25
Gray	10	30

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Fernengels	35	13
Firestones	31	17
Demings	30	18
Wiggers	27	21
Eagles	25	23
Electric Furnace	23	27
Meishners	13	31
Pops	12	32

SALEM ENGINEERING				
Myers	128	165	126	419
Wagoner	144	140	102	386
Weatherston	121	133	136	390
Perrault	127	124	150	401
Vogel	164	167	165	526
Handicap	13	13	13	39
Total	697	762	692	2151

SCOTT'S				
Grindle	158	121	129	408
Cody	115	143	161	419
T. Culbertson	126	132	120	378
Shastent	128	99	114	341
Blind	113	116		229
Golkovich			122	122
Handicap			4	4
Total	640	611	650	1901

UNITED TOOL				
Bodendorfer	124	122	115	361
Hippley	153	141	157	451
Radler	118	126	135	379
Dolansky	113	149	178	440
Krauss	126	116	122	364
Handicap	9	9		18
Total	643	663	707	2013

SPECIAL MATCH				
SOHANS	146	159	143	448
Meier	168	156	198	522
Hutter	176	180	207	563
Oesch	203	178	203	584
Hull	170	192	172	534
Total	863	865	923	2651

COLUMBIANA				
Frank	163	209	157	529
Robinson	186	167	171	524
McBride	147	195	153	495
Shontz	157	153	169	479
Hoover	178	204	160	542
Total	831	928	810	2569

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ARMY TAKES OVER A. P. TOP RATING AS SEASON CLOSES

Replaces Notre Dame As Top Team In Final Poll; Ohio State Second

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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT General Code Sec. 10595-6 Case No. 41814. Estate of Ellsworth E. Feicht, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Verdie L. Feicht, of R. D. No. 1, Salem, Ohio, has been duly appointed Executor of the estate of Ellsworth E. Feicht, deceased, late of Perry Township, Columbiana County, Ohio.

Creditors are required to file their claims with said fiduciary within four months or be forever barred. Dated this 13th day of November, 1944.

H. W. HAMMOND, Probate Judge of said County. CAPLAN & CAPLAN, Attys. Published in Salem News Nov. 28, Dec. 5 and 12, 1944.

LEGAL NOTICE CORA M. NEEDHAM vs. KENNETH M. NEEDHAM, S. 1/c, whose last known place of residence is Cub, 16, c/o E. P. O., San Francisco, California, will take notice that on the 27th day of November, 1944, Cora M. Needham filed her petition against him in the Court of Common Pleas of Columbiana County, Ohio, in case No. 32136, for divorce, custody of children and other relief on the grounds of gross neglect and extreme cruelty and other statutory grounds, and that service of summons cannot be had upon him in the State of Ohio. Said cause will be for hearing on and after the 15th day of January, 1945.

CORA M. NEEDHAM, Plaintiff. CAPLAN & CAPLAN, Attys. Published in Salem News Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1944; Jan. 2, 1945.

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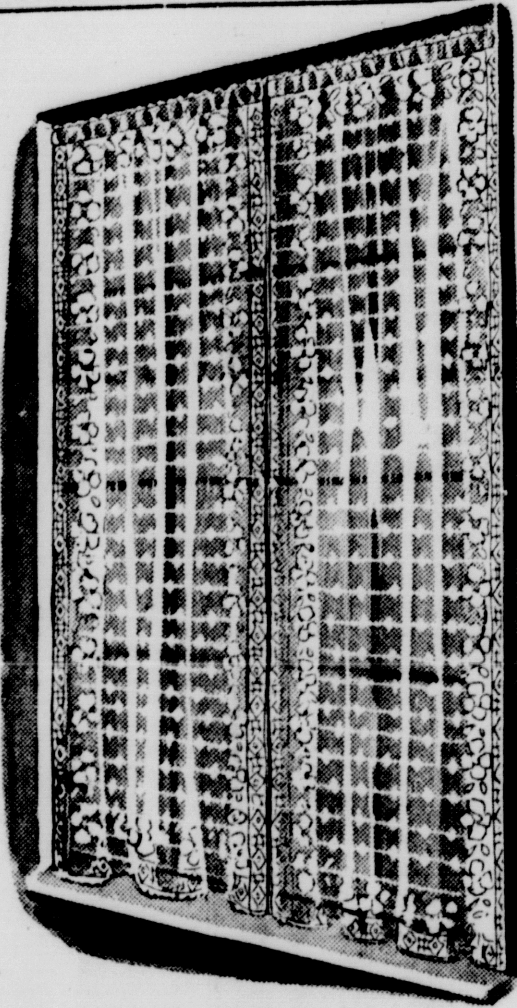
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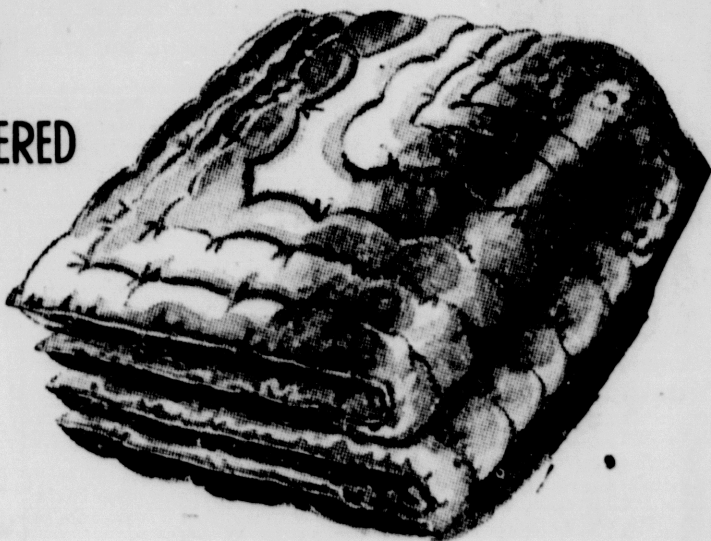
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Fancy eggs, 35c to 45c doz.
Butter, 40c to 45c lb.
Apples, \$1.50-\$2.50 bu.
Cabbage, 3c lb.
Turnips, 5c lb.
Hubbard squash, 3c lb.

SALEM GRAIN

(Prices Paid at Mill)
New oats, 70c bu.
Wheat, \$1.50 bu.
Corn, \$1.16 bu.

TREASURY RECEIPTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The po-
sition of the Treasury Dec. 2:
Receipts \$33,322,472.26; expendi-
tures \$259,947,447.9; net balance
\$14,201,872,349.72; working balance
included \$13,438,978,140.71; receipts
fiscal yr (July 1) \$14,999,019,074.94;
expenditures fiscal yr \$40,534,497,
828.52; excess of expenditures \$25,-
566,478,733.58; total debt \$221,416,-
677,416.43; increase over previous
day \$3,499,044,302.33.

RUTH FRONK BRIDE

OF PFC. L. F. RILES

LEETONIA, Nov. 5.—Miss Ruth
Fronk, daughter of Mrs. Florence
Fronk and Pfc. Lawrence F. Riles,
son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Riles,
were united in marriage at St. Pat-
rick's Catholic church Monday at
10 a. m. Rev. Fr. W. W. Maund
officiated at the double ring cere-
mony.

Mrs. Ariel Wilson Leeson was ma-
tron of honor and Walter Fawcett,
of Springdale, Pa., brother-in-law
of the bride, was best man. The
bride was lovely in a white satin
gown, finger-tip veil with seed pearl
coiffure and carried a bouquet of
bride's roses. Mrs. Leeson wore a
pink taffeta gown and carried a
bouquet of roses.

A reception was held at the home
of the bride for members of the
immediate families and friends fol-
lowing the ceremony. Mrs. Riles, a
graduate of Leetonia High school,
is employed by the National Rubber
Machinery Co., Columbiana.
Pfc. Riles, who has been stationed
with the U. S. Army Air Forces at
Boca Raton, Fla., is a graduate of
Leetonia High school and was em-
ployed by the Crescent Machine Co.
prior to entering the service 13
months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Riles are visiting
in Cleveland. Guests were in at-
tendance from Van Wert, Akron, Sa-
lem, Springdale, Pa., and Columbi-
ana.

PLAN INITIATION

OF VETS OF WAR II

Initiation for American Legion
posts' World War II veteran mem-
bers will be held at the Columbiana
county council session Friday night
at Leetonia. Posts throughout the
county will send new members for
the class.

Members of Charles H. Carey post
No. 56, meeting last night at the
home, welcomed Joseph P. Schmidt
and J. H. Helman, World War II
veterans, as new members.

Legionnaires and World War II
veterans interested were invited to
attend a meeting at the Canton
V.E.W. hall at 1:30 p. m. Sunday
at which national speakers will ex-
plain the "GI Bill of Rights," its
loan program and other matters re-
lating to the rehabilitation of this
war's returning veterans. The hall
is located at 420 Walnut st., NE,
Canton.

H. E. Zepernick reported that he
had completed lettering of half of
the 2200 name plates for Salem's
honor roll and the remainder will
be finished in about 60 days.

Brazilian Woods Shade

World Lumber Market

RIO DE JANEIRO—Brazil's po-
tential and untapped wood supply
indicates the possibility of a post-
war lumber industry which might
well overshadow the world market.
Possessing more than 64 per
cent of South America's forests,
Brazil in the states of Amazonas
and Para, alone, has some 260,-
538,100 hectares, or more than the
estimated totals of either Europe
(105,859,344 hectares) or North Amer-
ica (70,918,380). A hectare is almost
two and one-half acres.

Alliance Man Wounded

ALLIANCE, Dec. 5.—Sergeant John J.
Papa was wounded in action in
France, Nov. 19, his wife, Pearl, was
informed today. He has been in the
service two years.

About Town

Hold Kiwanis Caucus
Dr. George Jones, new lieutenant-
governor of Kiwanis clubs of this
district, will hold a division train-
ing conference for new Kiwanis of-
ficers Sunday at the Travelers
hotel in East Liverpool. The all-day
meeting will feature instructions
for club officers and committee
members. A demonstration of
board meetings will be given by the
Salem club's board of directors.

Canning Sugar Deadline
Ration board officials announced
today that Saturday will be the last
day for issuance of canning sugar
coupons.

OPA Rent Examiner Ralph L.
Miller will be in the board office
from 9:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. Thursday
to confer with tenants and land-
lords on adjustments of rent and
eviction matters.

Recent Births

At Salem City hospital:
A daughter today to Mr. and Mrs.
Roland Hall of Leetonia.
At the Central Clinic:
A daughter today to Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Ewing of Leetonia.
A son yesterday to Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Gibb, R. D. 4, Salem.

Church Programs Continue

The weekly Church Family night
service at the Baptist church will
continue at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday,
featuring meditation on the subject,
"Is Your Heart Ready for Christ-
mas?"

Hospital Notes

Admissions to Salem City hospi-
tal include:
For surgical treatment—
Gerald Lee Smith of New Water-
ford.

Scout Executives Meet

Girl Scout leaders and council
members will have a coverdish din-
ner at 6:30 p. m. Thursday in the
Presbyterian church.

Meeting Cancelled

The mid-week meeting of the
Presbyterian church, usually held
Wednesday evening has been can-
celled for this week.

Artists To Elect

Salem Artists club will elect of-
ficers at a meeting at 8 tonight
in the Arbaugh building.

Church Council To Meet

The council of Holy Trinity Eng-
lish Lutheran church will convene
at 7:30 tonight in the church.

WATER

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tially self-liquidating in that cities
would pay the state, over a period
of years, an amount equal to the
cost of the smaller reservoir a city
might have built for itself.

Of the \$600,000 advocated for
control, \$500,000 would be the state's
share of three major federal pro-
jects, Herbert said, while the re-
mainder would be earmarked for
the state's part of control projects
now being planned by government
engineers.

He said the report would point
out that U. S. Army engineers are
working on plans for reservoirs on
Sunday creek at Burr Oak near the
Perry-Hocking county line, to cost
nearly \$2,000,000; on the Olentangy
river at Delaware, \$4,250,000, and
the Dillon reservoir on Licking
river, northwest of Zanesville, \$8,-
500,000.

The commission chairman asserted
the report would divide the \$225,-
000 urged to aid communities and
industry as follows: \$150,000 to be
loaned to villages and small com-
munities so they can plan improve-
ments, the money to be repaid from
the first funds borrowed to build
the reservoirs, and \$75,000 to pre-
pare plans and develop projects for
use of industry, villages and other
water used in areas such as the Mill
Creek valley near Cincinnati.

Herbert said Chambers' recom-
mendations were based on the hope
"that the legislature will create a
proper agency of state government
to handle Ohio's water programs."

The Postwar commission's Con-
servancy committee has announced
it was drafting a bill setting up a
new department of conservation and
natural resources, with one division
devoted to water.

USE COMMON SENSE AND WORLD'S BITTER TONIC

LAXATIVE AND STOMACHIC MEDICINE

Note: Improvement in name of
product to World's Bitter Tonic.
No change made in formula.

AS A
BITTER TONIC
Helps Stimulate
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For temporary
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Relieves gas
bloating from undigested food when
due to constipation.

COMMON SENSE SAYS:
If the movement of food waste
through the intestinal tract or
bowel is sluggish, clogged or de-
layed, it may bring on temporary
constipation. And this may be a
contributing cause of symptoms or
conditions such as: sour stomach,
bloating after meals from gas,
and a jaded or poor appetite. For
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praised the laxative aid of World's
Bitter Tonic.

Caution: Use only as directed. Get
a bottle now at all modern drug
stores.



Found Near Death



New York police are investi-
gating in the case of model,
Joan Rydell, 27, found dead in a
negligee and near death in an
overflowing bathtub in her
apartment, which showed signs
of a struggle. Police revived
her with artificial respiration
after doctors gave her up for
dead.

OBITUARY

MRS. ALPHA HALDEMAN

Mrs. Alpha Haldeaman, 78, widow
of Charles F. Haldeaman, former Sa-
lem resident, died following a long
illness at the home of her nephew,
Lewis Stratton, in Cuyahoga Falls at
11 a. m. today.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Lewis Stratton, Mrs. Haldeaman was
born in Salem March 9, 1866 and
was a lifelong resident here until
going to Cuyahoga Falls three years
ago.

She leaves a brother, John Stratton
of Cuyahoga Falls; a niece, Mrs.
Karl Howell of Washington ave.,
and a nephew, Lewis Stratton, at
whose home she died.

Funeral arrangements have not
been completed.

CONGRESS

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D. will continue to run the "spe-
cial" office of the coordinator of
inter-American affairs until at least
Germany is defeated when its re-
maining functions may be absorbed
into the State department.

The three officers who resigned
to make possible these new appoint-
ments were Assistant Secretaries
Adolf A. Berle, Jr., 49, Breckin-
ridge Long, 63, and G. Howland
Shaw, 51. Shaw told President
Roosevelt he wants to work in be-
half of delinquent boys. Long, now
in Florida, is in ill health.

Berle's resignation was the most
surprising of all to insiders who
thought he was safe for the fourth
term.

The speculation was that one of
Stettinius' main objectives has been
to reorganize the department with
men with whom he can work closely
and effectively and that he did not
feel that kind of a relationship with
Berle.

Mr. Roosevelt held out an impor-
tant new government post to the
man who served his administration
for 12 years. It was not certain
whether Berle would accept it or re-
turn to private law practice in New
York.

Ex-Minstrel Man Dead

STUBENVILLE, Dec. 4.—William
D. Boyer, one-time minstrel man
who later became traffic manager
of the wheeling Traction Co., died
yesterday. He was 64.

U. S. AND JAP VESSELS SUNK

Each Side Loses Destroyer In Ormoc Gulf Naval Clash

(By Associated Press)

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEAD-
QUARTERS, Philippines, Dec. 5.—
Sharp naval blows were traded by
Americans and Japanese in Ormoc
gulf off Yeyte island, a headquar-
ters communiqué reported today,
and each side lost a destroyer.

The American vessel was ripped
completely in two, presumably by
an aerial torpedo, and went down
in 55 seconds, a 20mm. gun still fir-
ing until choked off by the sea. The
majority of the crew was saved, the
communiqué said, adding that a
second Japanese destroyer was be-
lieved damaged.

The sinking of the American
vessel furnished the backdrop for
a thrilling rescue drama, in which
the leading roles were played by the
Catalina flying boats. One of the
"Black Cats," as they are known
in the navy, picked up 56 men out
of the oil-blackened waters, and
lumbered into the air with them
after a three-mile run down the
bay, in full sight of thousands of
Japanese troops.

The plane had the near record
total of 63 men aboard, including
its crew of seven. The destroyer's
survivors had been in the water 12
hours, clinging to debris, logs, can-
isters or anything handy, when the
first flying boat reached them.

The U. S. vessels entered the gulf
in the face of air attacks and shore
fire.

Ground activity was limited to
minor clashes as rains poured down
monotonously.

Repeated attacks were made by
fighter planes on Japanese positions
and on targets in Ormoc bay and
Palompon. The communiqué re-
ported destruction of the Ormoc
jetty, and stores and warehouses
were set ablaze. North of Palompon
a 1,600-ton enemy transport was
sunk.

DOUGHBOYS

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move. Five infantry and two tank
divisions were identified in action.
They encountered strong Ger-
man opposition across the river in
Saarlautern from a few pockets and
from guns of the Siegfried line.
Patton merely detached a few forces
to mop up the nests of Nazis in the
city of 32,000, completely cleared
west of the river.

German guns up to 150 milli-
meters fired at least a thousand
rounds in four hours at the mason-
ary bridge which Americans cap-
tured intact at Saarlautern, but by
late Monday, it still stood and men
and tanks and guns poured across.

Along the Roer river front to the
north, within 22 miles of Cologne,
the violent and prolonged battle of
attrition went into a deadlock. Gen.
Eisenhower's communiqué said the
U. S. 8th and 1st armies "are meet-
ing stubborn resistance in the out-
skirts of Jülich."

"East of the Inde, we have con-
solidated our positions in Lucher-
berg and Luchem," it said. "In
the Brandenberg area, southeast
of Hurtgen, slight progress has
been made."

The British cleared out all Ger-
mans west of the Maas and held the
west and south banks of the river
all the way from Venlo to the sea.

Engineer Official Dies

CLEVELAND, Dec. 5.—George E.
Bechtel, 61, vice president of the
Trundle Engineering Co. here, died
yesterday. A native of Warren, he
suffered a heart attack aboard a
train on which he was returning
from a New York convention.

The War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie

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government. He is a great person-
ality—a much traveled man—
wide vision. I had long talks with
both Dr. Soong and Gen. Chou En-
Lai and sized them both up as be-
ing liberals. If any two men in
China can find a bridge to unite
the Communists and the central
government, they probably are the
ones.

There is, of course, urgent need
of unity in order to release troops and
equipment to safeguard what re-
mains of the hinterland, and espe-
cially the Burma road which the Al-
lies have figures on reopening soon,
thus restoring on China's lifeline
the outside world. Nullification of
the Burma road project would be a
major disaster. The Japs are now
driving towards Chungking (about
300 miles away), towards the city
of Kweiyang (American air base
on the Burma road only 75 miles
away), and towards Kunming (an-
other great U. S. air base on the
Burma road, just over 300 miles dis-
tant).

Maj. Gen. Wedemeyer, who suc-
ceeded Gen. Stilwell as commander
of the United States forces in
China, said a month ago that the
military situation was unfavorable
"but not irretrievable," perhaps
that still can be said, so far as
preservation of the Burma road
and Chungking are concerned.

However, military experts gen-
erally are veering to the view that
China may be about washed up as
the grand base from which to con-
duct the final assault on Japan.
That's the uncomfortable but true
appraisal.

Former Dentist Wounded

EAST LIVERPOOL, Dec. 5.—Capt.
John L. Laneve, former East Liver-
pool dentist, was wounded a month
ago while serving with the Third
army in France and now is hospital-
ized in England, his wife, Julie was
advised.

Pvt. Fred W. Carter, 34, East Liv-
erpool infantryman and son of Mr.
and Mrs. Wallace Carter, also was
wounded in France.

Drowned In Creek

Mt. Vernon, Dec. 5.—Richard E.
Swingley, 76, slipped while dumping
rubbish in Dry creek and drowned
in two feet of water, the highway
patrol reported today.

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